

November 24, 2006

The Honorable Kevin J. Martin Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

RE: RM No. 11348

Dear Chairman Martin:

The mission of the Utah Communications Agency Network (UCAN) is to provide public safety communications services and facilities on a regional or statewide basis for the benefit and use of public agencies: State, Local and Federal. Our network provides combined services to 125 individual governmental agencies. We understand the critical need for interoperable communications and support the Cyren Call proposal for public safety.

Whether Utah public safety is preparing to support the Olympic Games or responding to daily emergencies, they must have the tools necessary to complete their mission. A nationwide, interoperable, wireless communications system designed to rigorous public safety requirements is a tool public safety must have.

UCAN endorses the following principles of Cyren Call proposal:

- Allocation of an additional 30 MHz of spectrum at 700 MHz to public safety
- Creation of a Public Safety Broadband Trust (PSBT)
- Deployment of an advanced, nationwide, wireless broadband network dedicated to public safety communications needs
- Funding and maintenance through a public/private partnership

UCAN urges the Commission to join us in support of public safety and the Cyren Call proposal.

UCAN recognizes that Congressional action will be required as well to ensure that this spectrum is not auctioned for purely commercial use, but instead assigned to the Public Safety Broadband Trust to be used for primary, interoperable public safety operations. By this letter, the organization also urges our Congressional Representatives to endorse, sponsor and support the innovative approach to meeting critical public safety communications needs embodied in the Cyren proposal and to act promptly in support thereof.

Sincerely,

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